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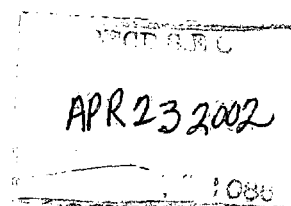
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Dear Ms. Hughes:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Chesapeake Energy Corporation, 6.75% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on April 23, 2002. Tentative listing date - April 25, 2002.

Sincerely,

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